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Dear Mr. Powals:

SUBJECT: Mechanical Integrity Testing, EDS No. 2-12, Permit No. M453

As required by R 299.2393, of the administrative rules promulgated under authority of Part 625, Mineral Wells, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (NREPA), on July 25, 2016 and August 8, 2016, mechanical integrity testing on the subject well was conducted under the direction of Mr. Richard Schildhouse of WSP-Parsons Brinckerhoff. External mechanical integrity was demonstrated using a temperature log and radioactive tracer log. The logs were not witnessed by a representative of the Department of Environmental Quality.

I have examined the wireline logs; they indicate the well has external mechanical integrity.

Use of the EDS No. 2-12 well may be resumed at your convenience. Please note the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) has issued a permit for this well and may require it to remain off line until USEPA personnel have examined the test results.

If you have any questions about the above, please contact me by mail at Department of Environmental Quality, Office of Gas, Oil, and Minerals, P.O. Box 30256, Lansing, MI 48909, by phone at 517-284-6841, or by email at vugrinovichr@michigan.gov.

Sincerely,

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As required by R 299.2393, of the administrative rules promulgated under authority of Part 625, Mineral Wells, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (NREPA), on July 25, 2016 and August 8, 2016, mechanical integrity testing on the subject well was conducted under the direction of Mr. Richard Schildhouse of WSP-Parsons Brinckerhoff. External mechanical integrity was demonstrated using a temperature log and radioactive tracer log. The logs were not witnessed by a representative of the Department of Environmental Quality.

I have examined the wireline logs; they indicate the well has external mechanical integrity.

Use of the EDS No. 1-12 well may be resumed at your convenience. Please note the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) has issued a permit for this well and may require it to remain off line until USEPA personnel have examined the test results.

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REPORT OF MECHANICAL INTEGRITY OF INJECTION WELL #2-12

ENVIRONMENTAL GEO-TECHNOLOGIES, LLC Romulus, Michigan

PROJECT NO.: 50909A

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

In accordance with the United States Environmental Protection Agency's (U.S. EPA), requirements for the Class I UIC permit number MI-163-1W-CO11 granted to Environmental Geo-Technologies, LLC (EGT) and with the State of Michigan permit number M-453, an annulus pressure test, temperature survey, radioactive tracer and ambient pressure test was needed to be run on Well #2-12 to demonstrate the mechanical integrity of the well.

The mechanical integrity tests (MITs) are designed to demonstrate that (1) "there is no significant leak in the casing, tubing or packer" and (2) "the cement at the top of the injection interval has integrity." The test procedures to perform mechanical integrity tests were reviewed and approved by the U.S. EPA and the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) prior to initiating the fieldwork.

In addition to the mechanical integrity tests, a temperature survey and ambient pressure test was run on Well #2-12 to assist in evaluating the injection zone and formation condition.

2.0 SUMMARY OF RESULTS

An annulus pressure test (APT) was performed on July 25, 2016 to demonstrate that there is no significant leak in the tubing, casing or packer. The fluid-filled annulus was pressurized to 983-psi for one (1) hour. There was a 10 psi loss in pressure for the duration of the test. This constitutes a successful pressure test with a 1% change in pressure.

A temperature survey (TS) was run on July 25, 2016 from surface to 4186 feet. The survey displayed no indication of a loss of external mechanical integrity and did not display any signs of upward fluid movement into unpermitted formations.

A Radioactive Tracer Survey (RTS) was run on August 8, 2016 to test the bottom hole cement. The RTS survey confirmed the leak-free condition of the tubing within the test interval as well as depicting that all injected fluids exited the injection tubing

below the packer and moved out into the injection zone. The RTS further verified that the cement at the top of the injection interval has integrity and there is no upward migration of injection fluids around the casing shoe.

Ambient pressure monitoring was performed on August 10th and August 11th 2016. The results are summarized below.

Time to radial flow:

1.83 hours following shut-in.

Permeability:

90 md

Skin factor:

19

Pressure loss:

190 psi

Flow efficiently:

0.30

3.0 ANNULUS PRESSURE TESTING

The APT was performed on Well #2-12 on July 25, 2016. This test was performed to confirm the integrity of the injection string, long string casing, the wellhead and the packer.

3.1 Annulus Pressure Test Procedures

The procedures for the APT were submitted to the EPA and can be found in Appendix A of this report. The procedures involve the pressuring up of the annulus and should be monitored for one (1) hour. Pressures should be monitored and recorded on ten (10) minute intervals for the entire hour test.

3.2 Annulus Pressure Test Results

The annulus pressure test on Well 2-12 was pressured up on July 25, 2016 to 983 psi and stabilized at 0850. The pressure was monitored by an APG Digital Model PG 3000; serial number U0951, (0-3000 psi) gauge that was calibrated on February 22, 2016. During the one (1) hour test the total change of pressure was a rise of one (1) psi to 974 psi. This change of ten (10) psi represents a pressure change of 1% psi, the allowable change of 3% (29.49). This test demonstrates mechanical integrity.

The test was witnessed by Jack Lanigan of MDEQ, John Frost of EGT and Rich Schildhouse of PB. The MDEQ report as well as the gauge calibration certificate are included in Appendix D.

4.0 TEMPERATURE SURVEY

In response to a regulatory requirement, a temperature survey was run on July 25, 2016 on Well #2-12. The purpose of the requirement is to insure that there is no evidence of any upward movement of fluid that may travel toward the Underground Source of Drinking Water (USDW).

4.1 Temperature Survey Procedures

The procedures for the temperature survey are found in Appendix A of this report which was submitted and approved by the U.S. EPA before any fieldwork was started. The temperature tool calibration was confirmed by using a bucket test incorporating the use of both cold and hot water as well as a digital meter. This test is displayed at the beginning of the temperature log which can be found in Appendix F. The base temperature was run from surface down to 4186 feet.

4.2 Temperature Survey Results

The last two times that temperature surveys were run on Well #2-12 were January 13, 2013 and June 27, 2013. The data that was collected at that time was compared to the July 25, 2016 data and is displayed in the Table below.

WELL #2-12 June 27. July 25. Gradient/ January 13, Gradient/ Gradient/ Depth 2016 1000° 2013 1000° 2013 1000° 100 79.5 44.2 52.5 52.2 68.3 53.2 52.1 500 22.5 1.0 55.8 5.2 1000 55.0 5.6 54.9 5.6 1500 57.7 5.4 58.6 5.6 5.4 57.6 2000 60.2 5.0 60.6 4.0 60.2 5.2 64.6 8.8 66.1 11.0 65.3 2500 10.2 17.2 73.2 75.8 19.4 75.2 3000 19.8 78.1 9.8 80.0 3500 8.9 79.6 8.8 5.8 4000 81.0 84.8 9.6 84.0 8.8 4100 81.5 5.0 85.9 11.0 85.2 12.0

As can be seen in the table above, both the actual temperatures and calculated gradients obtained July 25, 2016 are consistent with images from the January 2013 and June 2013 logs. The temperature recorded for all three (3) logs are extremely close in comparison. The temperatures of the 2016 log below 4000' (open hole) seem to be slightly cool reflecting higher injection rate caused by cleaning efforts over the last few years. There are a few other interpretations' that have to be made. First, the temperature at top of fluid for 2016 is higher which can be attributed to the actual top of fluid in the well over the past years. Another factor is the temperature of the thermister before it reaches the fluid. Secondly cooling is present at 3985', 4110' and 4180', which can be expected due to cleaner rock at the bottom of the 7" casing.

This log confirms that there is no fluid movement upward out of the injection zone (3382').

5.0 RADIOACTIVE TRACER SURVEY

In order to verify that no fluid is moving upward around the casing shoe, a radioactive tracer log is run. Interpretation of the RTS indicates whether or not there is migration of injection fluids through channels in the cement sheath surrounding the protection casing.

This RTS is run by first recording a base gamma ray log over the interval of interest. Fluid is injected and a radioactive slug of lodine 131 is released above the area to be tested. Fluid is injected and the progress of the slug monitored by repeatedly lowering the logging tool below the moving slug and logging upward through the slug. A second verification of the absence of upward fluid movement is obtained by releasing a slug of lodine 131 above the area to be tested. The logging tool is set at the depth of interest and gamma radiation is recorded for approximately 30 minutes with the logging tool stationary. A final gamma ray survey is run to complete the logging procedure.

5.1 Radioactive Tracer Survey Procedure

The procedures for RAT were submitted to the EPA and can be found in Appendix A.

5.2 Results of the Radioactive Tracer Survey

An RTS was run between 4194 feet and 3039 feet injection Well #2-12 on August 8, 2016. The log can be found in Appendix G.

- A. First Base Log: 4194 feet to 3039 feet
- B. Five (5) minute statistical check at 3955 feet Five (5) minute statistical check at 3800 feet

- C. First radioactive slug ejected at 3750 feet.
 Stationary time drive sequence
 Fluid pump rate 30-32 G PM
 Injection pressure 245 psi
 Bottom detector set at 3977 feet
 Top detector set at 3971 feet
 Monitored for 34 minutes
- D. Second radioactive slug ejected at 3100 feet. The following table contains
 The depth of the top and bottom of each pass and the depth of the peak.

			PEAK	FLOW
	START	STOP	DEPTH	GPM
1	3154	3134	3146	30
2	3230	3173	3204	30
3	3362	3328	3346	30
4	3514	3475	3497	30
5	3679	3636	3661	30
6	3687	3648	3668	30
7	3887	3826	3864	30
8	4006	3954	3982	30
9	4006	3982	3996	30
10	4030	3990	4015	30
11	4073	3990	4030	30

E. Final Base Log 4081 feet to 3922 feet

The radioactive tracer run in Well #2-12 on August 8, 2016 confirmed the leak-free condition of the tubing within the test interval as well as depicting that all injection fluids exited the injection tubing below the packer and moved out into the injection zone. The RTS verified that the cement at the

top of the injection interval has integrity and there is no upward migration of injection fluids around the casing shoe.

6.0 AMBIENT PRESSURE MONITORING

In accordance with the United States Environmental Protection Agency's (U.S. EPA), requirements for the Class I UIC permit number MI-163-1W-CO11 granted to Environmental Geo-Technologies, LLC (EGT) and with the State of Michigan permit number M-453, a bottom hole pressure falloff test (Ambient Pressure Monitoring) was run on Well #2-12 to assist in evaluating the injection zone.

John Frost from EGT, Craig Merges from J.O. Well Service and Testing, and Richard Schildhouse from PB witnessed the Ambient Pressure Monitoring test which was run from August 9, 2016 to August 10, 2016.

6.1 AMBIENT PRESSURE MONITORING PROCEDURES

Procedures for performing the Ambient Pressure Monitoring were submitted to the regulatory agencies prior to doing any field work. A copy of those procedures can be found in Appendix A of this report.

6.2 AMBIENT PRESSURE MONITORING RESULTS

All depths in this report, unless otherwise noted, are referenced to the Kelly Bushing (KB) elevation which is 13 feet above the ground level elevation for Well #2-12. J.O. Well Services ran bottom-hole pressure gauges into Well #2-12 and set the gauges at 3950 feet KB on August 10, 2016.

Injection into Well #2-12 began at 07:39 AM on August 10, 2016 and continued until 07.48 PM on August 10, 2016, at which time Well #2-12 was shut in for the pressure falloff portion of the testing. The pressure falloff was monitored for approximately 12 hours. PB analyzed the test data with the assistance of the commercially available software program PanSystem3.5°. The PanSystem3.5° output for the analysis of this test is presented in Appendix E. J.O. Well Service and Testing, Inc.'s pressure test report and gauge calibration certificates are presented in Appendix C.

Table I lists general information as well as the reservoir characteristics for this well. Table II lists data pertinent to the current test. Table III lists the duration and final pressure measured during the pressure falloff test.

Figure 1 shows the bottom-hole pressure data that was recorded during both the injection and falloff periods of the testing on Well #2-12. Figure 2 is a Cartesian plot of the bottom-hole pressure data versus elapsed time recorded during the falloff period. The first step of the analysis consisted of generating a log-log diagnostic plot of Δp and the Δp derivative versus equivalent shut-in time (Figure 3) to determine the time at which radial flow begins. From the log-log diagnostic plot, radial flow begins at an elapsed time following shut in of 1.83 hours.

The formation mobility-thickness, kh/μ , was obtained from the slope of the line passing through the pressure data which occurred during the radial flow period (depicted in Figure 3) on the Horner semi-log plot (Figure 4). Figure 5 is an expanded view of Figure 4. The radial flow period begins at an elapsed Horner time following shut in of 0.88 and continues to the end of the test. The slope of the straight line passing through this region is 11.762 psi/log cycle. The following equation is used to calculate mobility-thickness:

$$\frac{kh}{\mu} = 162.6 \frac{qB}{m}$$

where:

 kh/μ = mobility-thickness, md-ft/cp

162.6 = constant

q = flow rate, barrels per day

m = slope of semi-log line, psi/log cycle

B = formation volume factor, reservoir volume/surface volume

Using the following values, the mobility-thickness is found to be 14,990 md-ft/cp:

q = 31.63 gpm = 1084.30 barrels/day

m = 11.762 psi/log cycle

B = 1.0 reservoir barrel/surface barrel

$$\frac{kh}{\mu} = 162.6 \frac{(1084.30)(1.0)}{11.762}$$

The permeability-thickness, kh, was determined to be 11,962 md-ft by multiplying the mobility-thickness, kh/ μ , by the viscosity of the waste fluid of 0.798 centipoise:

$$kh = \left[\frac{kh}{\mu}\right]\mu$$

=(14,990)(0.798)

= 11,962 md-ft

The formation permeability, k, was found to be 89.94 md using the formation thickness of 133 feet:

$$k = \frac{kh}{h}$$

$$=\frac{11,962}{133}$$

 $= 89.94 \, \text{md}$

The following equation is used to calculate the formation skin factor:

$$s = 1.151 \left[\frac{p_{wf} - p_{1hr}}{m} - log \left(\frac{k}{\phi \mu c_t r_w^2} \right) + 3.23 \right]$$

where:

s = formation skin factor, dimensionless

1.151 = constant

p_{wf} = pressure immediately prior to shut-in, psia

p_{1hr} = pressure at a time of one-hour from the semi-log straight line,

psia

m = slope of the semi-log straight line, psi/cycle

k = formation permeability, mdφ = formation porosity, fraction

լս = formation viscosity, centipoise

ct = total compressibility of formation and fluid, psi⁻¹

rw = wellbore radius, ft

3.23 = constant

Using the following values, the skin factor is found to be 18.59

where:

 $p_{wf} = 2120.87 \, psia$

 $p_{1hr} = 1862.00 psia$

m = 11.762 psi/log cycle

 $k = 89.94 \, \text{md}$

 $\phi = 11\%$

 $\mu = 0.798 \, \text{cp}$

 $c_t = 6.2 \times 10^{-6} \text{ psi}^{-1}$

r_w = 0.3646 feet

$$s = 1.151 \left[\frac{2120.87 - 1862.00}{11.762} - \log \left(\frac{89.94}{(0.11)(0.798)(6.2 \times 10^{-6})(0.3646)^2} \right) + 3.23 \right]$$

=18.59

The change in pressure, Δp_{skin} , in the wellbore associated with the skin factor was determined to be 190.01 psi using the slope of the straight-line portion of the radial flow plot, the calculated skin factor, and the following equation:

$$\Delta p_{skin} = 0.869(m)(s)$$
 $\Delta p_{skin} = 0.869(11.762)(18.59)$
 $\Delta p_{skin} = 190.01psi$

The flow efficiency (E) was determined from the following equation where:

$$E = \frac{p_{\text{wf}} - p^* - \Delta p_{\text{skin}}}{p_{\text{wf}} - p^*}$$

E = flow efficiency, fraction

p_{wf} = flowing pressure prior to shutting in the well for the falloff, 2120.87 psia

p* = pressure extrapolated to an infinite shut-in time from the straight-line portion of the radial flow plot, 1848.83 psi

Δp_{skin} = pressure change due to skin damage, 190.01 psi

Substituting these values, the flow efficiency was calculated to be 0.30

$$E = \frac{2120.87 - 1848.83 - 190.01}{2120.87 - 1848.83}$$
$$= 0.30$$

A summary of the results of the pressure falloff analysis is presented in Table IV.

7.0 CONCLUSIONS

In conclusion, the Environmental Geo-Technologies, LLC Well #1-12 has displayed internal and external mechanical integrity. All procedures and evaluations have been done in accordance with state and federal requirements mandated in regard to U.S. EPA Permit MI-163-1W-C010 and Michigan Permit MI-452.

- There is no significant leak in the casing, tubing or packer as evidenced by an annulus pressure test conducted on July 25, 2016.
- The temperature survey that was run on July 25, 2016 was comparable to the previous surveys conducted on December 4, 2012 and June 26, 2013. The 2016 survey displayed no indication of any fluid having an upward movement, thus confirming external integrity.
- The cement at the top of the injection interval and around the casing shoe has integrity. The survey that was run on August 8, 2016 indicated that all fluids left the injection string and entered into the formation and showed no indication of upward movements.

TABLE |
GENERAL WELL AND RESERVOIR INFORMATION

Date of Test	August 10 - 11, 2016		
Wellbore Radius	0.3646 feet		
Net Interval Thickness	133 feet		
Average Historical Waste Fluid Viscosity	0.798 centipoise		
Specific Gravity (estimated)	1.0		
Porosity	11%		
Total Compressibility	6.2 x 10 ⁻⁶ psi ⁻¹		
Formation Volume Factor	1 RB/STB		

TABLE II

DATA SUMMARY FOR INJECTION PERIOD

Start Injection	August 10, 2016; 07:39 AM		
Stop Injection	August 10, 2016; 07:48 PM		
Time of Injection Period	12 hours		
Test Fluid	Plant waste		
Average Injection Rate	31.63 gpm (1084.30 bpd)		
Pumps Used for Test	Plant Pumps		
Final Injection Pressure		2120.87 psia	
Gauge Depth Gauge Type/Serial No.		3590 feet KB PR-625/No. 9847	
Gauge Sensitivity:	resolution accuracy	0.15 psi 2.44 psi	

TABLE III

DATA SUMMARY FOR FALLOFF PERIOD

Total Shut in Time	12 hours	
Final Shut in Pressure	1852.51 psia	

TABLE IV

COMPARISON OF ANALYSIS RESULTS

Results From Log-Log and Homer Plots				
Parameter	Log-Log Plot Results	Superposition Plot Results		
Wellbore Storage	Cs	bbls/psi	0.0012	-
Mobility-Thickness	kh/μ	md-ft/cp	14,833	14,990
Permeability-Thickness	kh	md-ft	11,837	11,962
Permeability	k	md	89	90
Skin Factor	S	-	-	19
Pressure Drop due to Skin	(Δp)s	psi	-	190
Flow Efficiency (Condition Ratio)	- L-	-	100	0.30

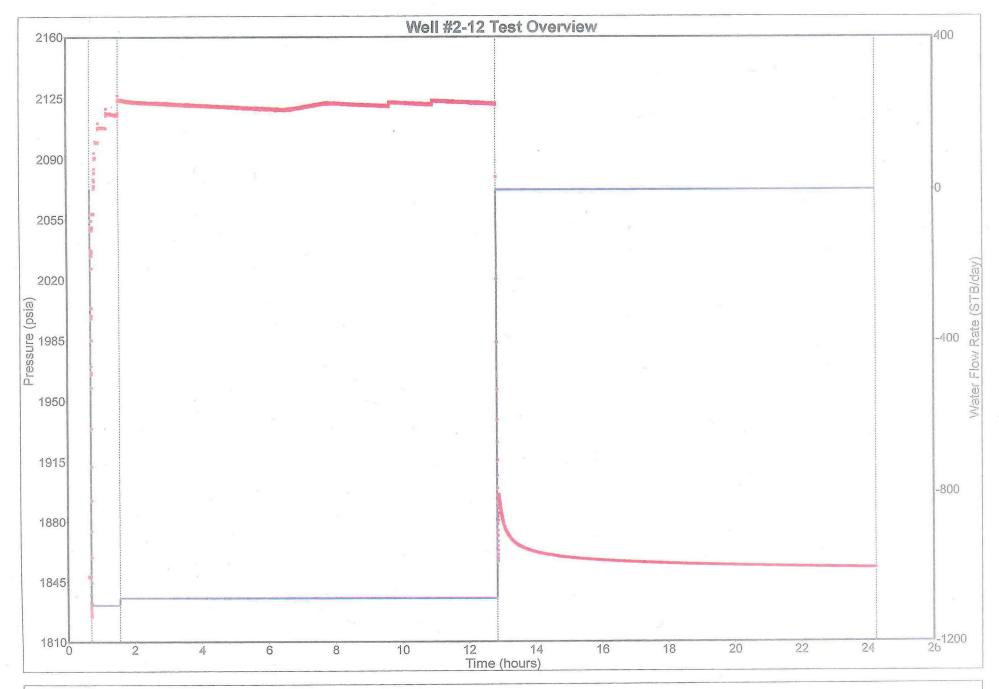
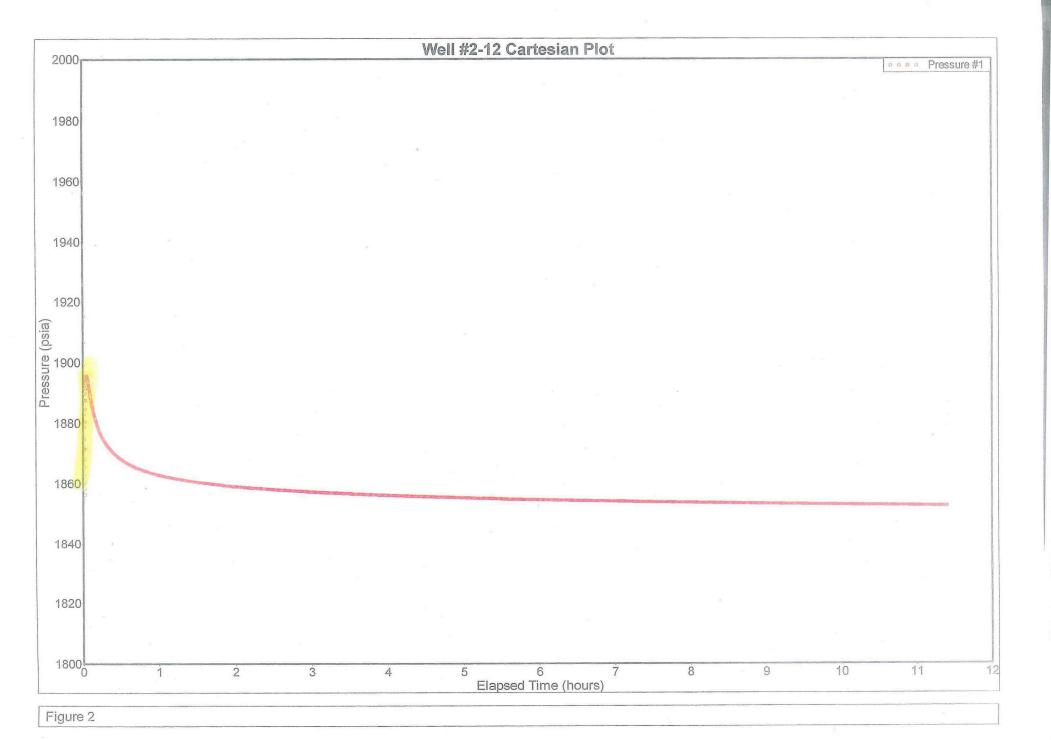
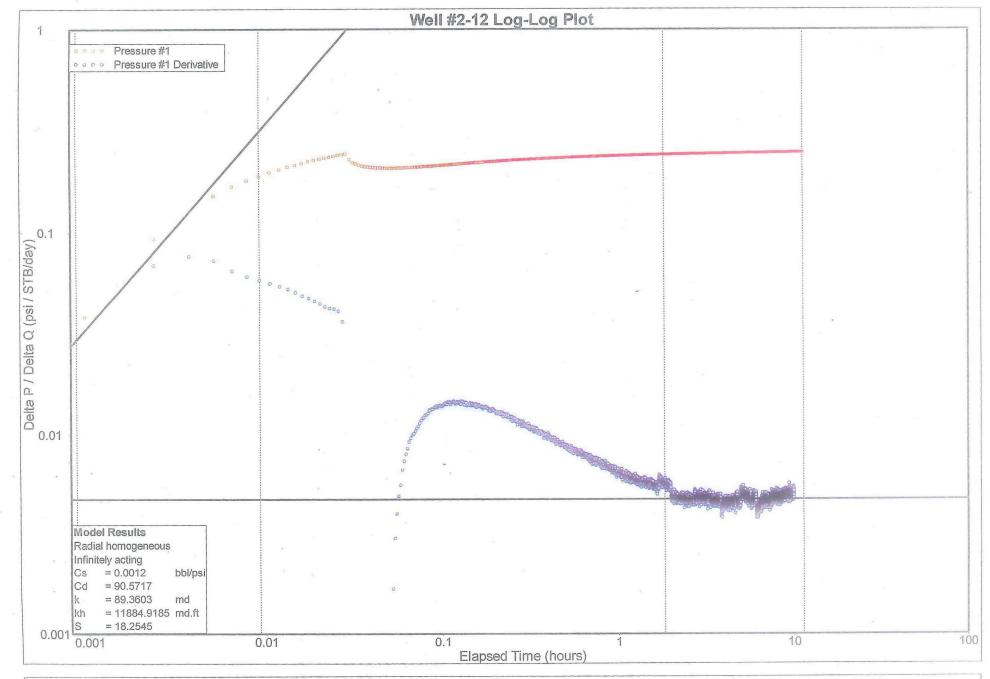


Figure 1





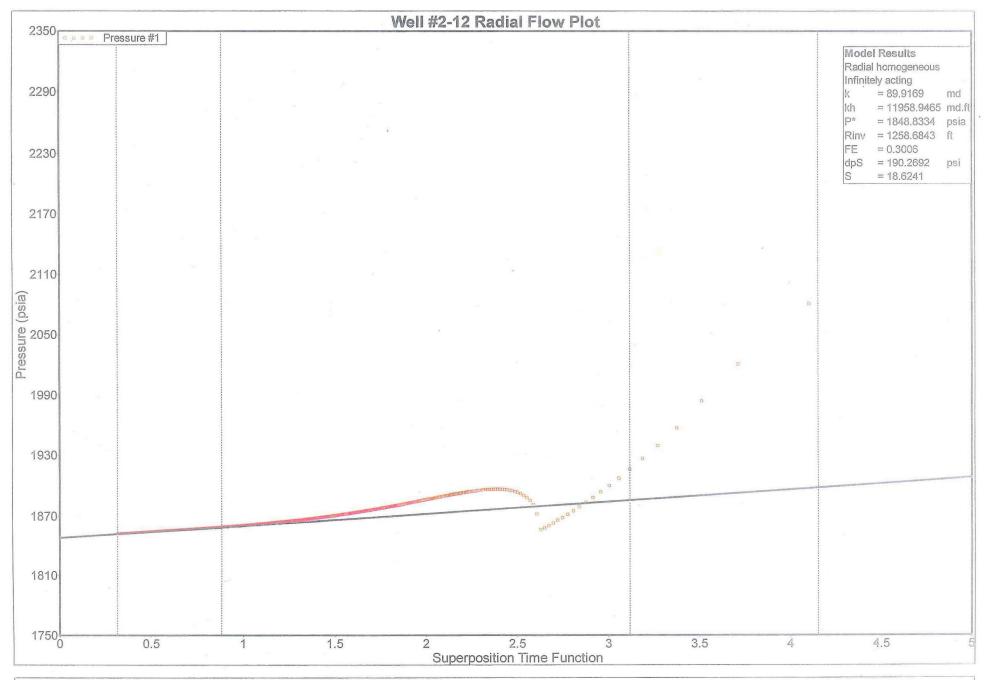


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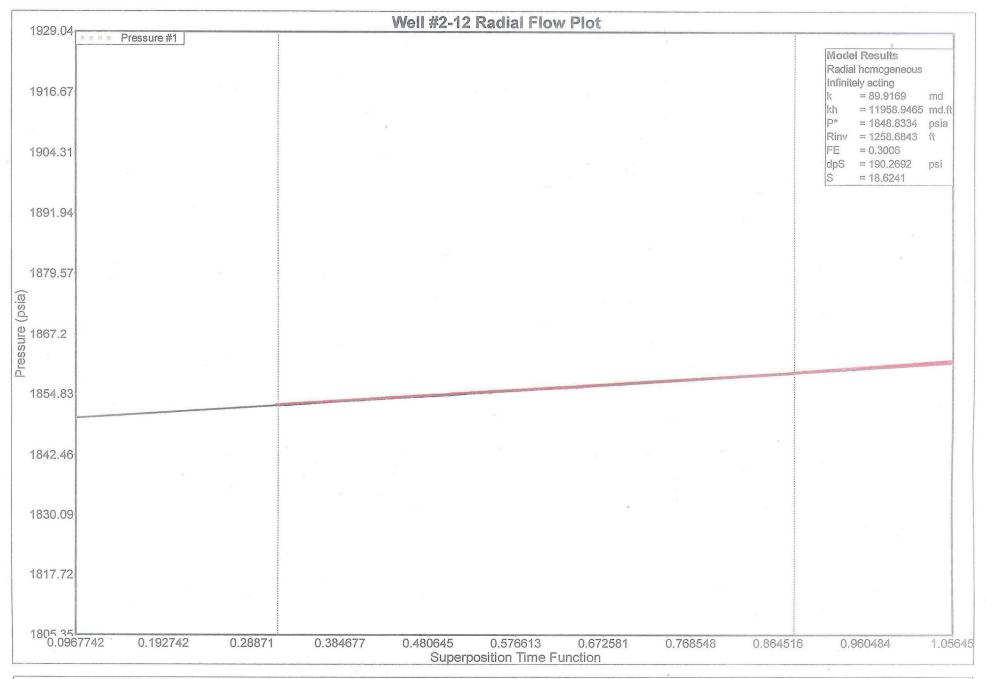
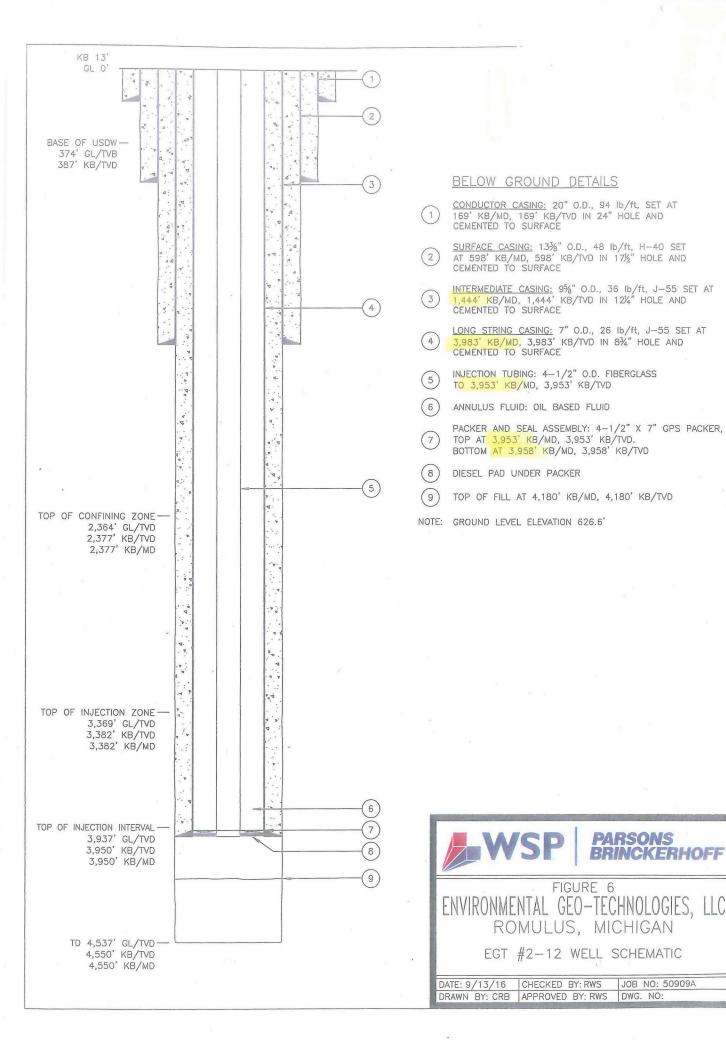


Figure 5





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Approval of Proposed Procedures for Testing in the Environmental Geo-Technologies #1-12 and #2-12 Wells, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Underground Injection Control Permit #MI-163-1W-C010 and

#MI-163-1W-C011, July 2016

Dear Mr. Powals:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has reviewed and hereby approves the procedures proposed in your letter of June 20, 2016, for the testing referenced above with several conditions.

A copy of the pressure gauge calibration certificate for each gauge used during the testing (Standard Annulus Pressure Test and Ambient Reservoir Pressure Monitoring) should be submitted with your report.

I am enclosing information sheets for these tests. We request you fill in the blank cells and confirm the data in the gray cells and return the information sheets with the test results and interpretation, and up-to-date well schematics. This will help ensure that all the information we require for interpretation of the test will be included in your submission. Any anomalies in test results should be discussed. For example, both 2015 fall-off tests showed unusual behavior that was not initially discussed in EGT's reports. Note also that the differences between the two fall-off tests should be discussed. When reporting depths from the deviated well, please make it clear whether the depths are measured depths or true vertical depths, as appropriate. Please remember to submit the digital data either on CD or by email when you submit your report. Note that if the tests do not provide definitive information concerning the conditions which they are designed to ascertain, or approved procedures are not followed, you will be required to rerun them.

EPA cannot determine whether these tests will satisfy EGT's UIC permit requirements until the results have been submitted and analyzed. All mechanical integrity tests must

be approved by the Director, which can only be done after the test results have been reviewed. The procedures you submitted should provide acceptable results, if the tests are properly conducted and the results properly interpreted.

It is our practice that testing be witnessed by an EPA staff member or our contract field inspector to the extent possible. Please contact Jeff McDonald at (312) 353-6288 to schedule the witnessing of these tests. Unwitnessed tests are only acceptable if it is impossible for an EPA staff member or the field inspector to be present.

If you have any questions about this letter or if you find during the test that you are unable to follow the approved procedures, please contact Stephen Roy of my staff by phone at (312) 886-6556 or by email to roy.stephen@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Stephen M. Jann, Chief

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